

**AGENDA SUMMARY PAGE - PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT**  
**CITY COUNCIL MEETING OF: JANUARY 9, 2008****DEPARTMENT: PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT****DIRECTOR: M. MARGO WHEELER**☐ Consent ☒ Discussion**SUBJECT:**

VARIANCE

VAR-25403 – PUBLIC HEARING - CAROLINE'S COURT - APPLICANT/OWNER: CAROLINE'S COURT, LLC – Appeal from the approval by the Planning Commission of a request for a Variance TO ALLOW A RETAINING WALL HEIGHT OF 15 FEET WHERE THE MAXIMUM RETAINING WALL HEIGHT IS SIX FEET ON THE WEST PROPERTY LINE, AND TO ALLOW A TOTAL HEIGHT OF 23 FEET WHERE THE MAXIMUM TOTAL HEIGHT OF RETAINING AND SCREENING WALLS IS 12 FEET on 23.62 acres at the northwest corner of El Capitan Way and Durango Drive (APNs 125-17-601-012, 017 and 125-17-202-001), T-C (Town Center) Zone [SC-TC (Service Commercial - Town Center) Special Land Use Designation], Ward 6 (Ross). The Planning Commission (7-0 vote) and staff recommend APPROVAL

**PROTESTS RECEIVED BEFORE:**

Planning Commission Mtg.

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**APPROVALS RECEIVED BEFORE:**

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

The Planning Commission (7-0 vote) and staff recommend APPROVAL, subject to conditions.

**BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:**

1. Location and Aerial Maps
2. Conditions and Staff Report
3. Supporting Documentation
4. Photos
5. Justification Letter
6. Appeal letter filed by Olympia Land Corporation
7. Support postcard
8. Submitted after final agenda – Protest postcards
9. Backup referenced from the 11-29-07 Planning Commission Meeting Item 43

Motion made by GARY REESE to Hold in Abeyance Items 85-88, 90-93, 103 and 122A to 2/06/2008; Item 119 to 2/20/2008; Item 116 to 4/02/2008; Item 117 to 7/16/2008; and Strike Item 122

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Passed For: 7; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Did Not Vote: 0; Excused: 0

RICKI Y. BARLOW, LOIS TARKANIAN, LARRY BROWN, OSCAR B. GOODMAN,  
GARY REESE, STEVE WOLFSON, STEVEN D. ROSS; (Against-None); (Abstain-None);  
(Did Not Vote-None); (Excused-None)

